

Navy nominations beginning James A. Caviness, and ending William M. Wike, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 25, 1996.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate will now return to legislative session.

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, with regard to campaign finance reform, I now ask unanimous consent that the Rules Committee be discharged from further consideration of S. 1219, regarding campaign finance reform, and that the Senate now turn to its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered. The clerk will report.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 1219) to reform the financing of Federal elections, and for other purposes.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the immediate consideration of the bill?

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

AMENDMENT NO. 4092

(Purpose: To provide a complete substitute)

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I send an amendment to the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

The Senator from Mississippi [Mr. LOTT], for Mr. MCCAIN, for himself, Mr. FEINGOLD and Mr. THOMPSON, proposes an amendment numbered 4092.

(The text of the amendment is printed in today's RECORD under "Amendments Submitted.")

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the amendment be agreed to and considered original text for the purpose of further amendment; and that no further amendments or modifications be in order prior to the cloture vote.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The amendment (No. 4092) was agreed to.

CLOTURE MOTION

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I send a cloture motion to the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The cloture motion having been presented under rule XXII, the Chair directs the clerk to read the motion.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

CLOTURE MOTION

We, the undersigned Senators, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, do hereby move to bring to a close debate on S. 1219, the campaign finance reform bill:

Trent Lott, John McCain, Judd Gregg, Bob Smith, Rick Santorum, Sheila

Frahm, Claiborne Pell, Jeff Bingaman, David Pryor, John F. Kerry, Paul Wellstone, Patty Murray, Fred Thompson, Bob Graham, Herb Kohl, Russell D. Feingold.

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate resume the bill for debate only at 2 p.m., Monday, June 24.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that at 10:30 a.m., on Tuesday, June 25, the Senate resume consideration of S. 1219 for debate only for 2 hours, to be equally divided in the usual form.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the cloture vote occur at 2:15 p.m., Tuesday, June 25.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Members have until 2 p.m., Monday, June 24, to file first-degree amendments and 12:30 p.m., on Tuesday, June 25, to file second-degree amendments, notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXII.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I do want to express my appreciation to all those who have been involved in arranging for this legislation to be brought up in this manner. Senator MCCAIN, Senator MCCONNELL, Senator FEINGOLD, obviously, the Democratic leader, have been involved in these discussions. I think it is appropriate that we have this debate. We have agreed upon a way to consider it that I think will be fair to all concerned.

ORDERS FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1996 AND MONDAY, JUNE 24, 1996

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand in adjournment until the hour of 9:30 a.m., Friday, June 21, further, that immediately following the prayer, the Journal of proceedings be deemed approved to date, no resolutions come over under the rule, the call of the calendar be dispensed with, the morning hour be deemed to have expired, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and that there then be a period for morning business until the hour of 12:30, with Senators to speak for up to 5 minutes each, with the following exceptions: Senator COVERDELL or his designee in control of the first 90 minutes, Senator DASCHLE or his designee in control of the second 90 minutes, with Senator LIEBERMAN in control of 15 minutes of Senator DASCHLE's time; further, I ask unanimous consent that immediately following morning business, the Senate stand in adjournment until the hour of 1 p.m., Monday, June 24, and immediately following the prayer on Monday, the Journal of pro-

ceedings be deemed approved to date, no resolutions come over under the rule, the call of the calendar be dispensed with, the morning hour be deemed to have been expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and there then be a period for morning business until the hour of 2 p.m., with each Senator allowed to speak for up to 5 minutes each; and, further, immediately following morning business, the Senate resume consideration of S. 1219, the campaign finance reform bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, for the information of all Senators, the Senate will be in session tomorrow for morning business only. I had hoped that we would be able to get some more amendments considered on the Department of Defense authorization bill, but we were having difficulty getting Senators to be available to offer amendments, plus, there were other considerations involved. So we will only have the morning business. There will be no rollcall votes then during the day on Friday. The Senate will then reconvene on Monday, and following the period of morning business, we will resume the campaign finance bill consideration. There will be no rollcall votes during Monday's session of the Senate so that we can have this debate.

A cloture motion was filed on the campaign finance bill today, with that cloture vote order to occur at 2:15 p.m. on Tuesday. As a reminder to all Senators, first-degree amendments must be filed by 2 p.m. on Monday, and second-degree amendments by 12:30 on Tuesday. The Senate will resume the Department of Defense authorization bill next week. Therefore, Senators should anticipate a busy week with rollcall votes throughout each session.

As I indicated earlier, we have not made enough progress on this bill, and if we have to go into the night next week, we will just have to do that. I had hoped not to have to do that, but we have to find a way to get the work completed. We will have to look at that option. Of course, we will discuss that with the bill managers, and certainly with the Democratic leader.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:41 p.m., adjourned until Friday, June 21, 1996, at 9:30 a.m.

CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate June 20, 1996: